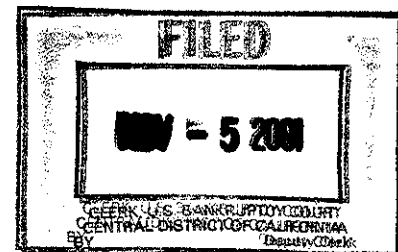


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10 UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
11 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
12 SANTA ANA DIVISION

13 In re

14 FIRST LENDERS INDEMNITY  
15 CORPORATION,

16 Debtor.

17 Bk. No. SA 97-16576-RA  
18 [Chapter 7]

19 ORDER RE APPLICATION OF  
20 CHAPTER 7 TRUSTEE FOR  
21 AUTHORITY TO EMPLOY AND PAY  
22 RETAINERS TO EXPERT WITNESSES

23 DATE: October 18, 2001  
24 TIME: 3:00 p.m.  
25 PLACE: Courtroom 6-C  
26 411 West Fourth Street  
27 Santa Ana, CA 92701

28 AT SANTA ANA, IN THIS DISTRICT, ON \_\_\_\_\_

On October 18, 2001 at 3:00 p.m., a hearing was held on the Chapter 7 Trustee's *Application to Employ and Pay Retainers to Expert Witnesses*. Deborah H. Eisen of Weinstein, Eisen & Weiss, a Professional Corporation, appeared telephonically on behalf of Dennis M. Murphy, Chapter 7 Trustee. Richard S. Ruben of Pillsbury Winthrop LLP appeared on behalf of Bank One, Texas, N.A.

Having reviewed the Application, Bank One's Objection to the employment of the Securities Law Expert and the Trustee's Reply thereto and further good cause,

1 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

2 1. The application to employ the Indenture Trustee Expert is hereby  
3 approved effective August 1, 2001. The Trustee is authorized to pay the Indenture  
4 Trustee Expert a retainer of \$25,000.00.

5 2. The Trustee's Application to employ the Securities Law Expert is  
6 hereby approved effective August 1, 2001 without prejudice to this Court's  
7 subsequent determination as to whether fees and costs paid by the estate to the  
8 Securities Law Expert should be charged to the account of Trustee's counsel of  
9 record. The Trustee is authorized to pay the Securities Law Expert a retainer of  
10 \$20,000.00.

11 3. All compensation and expense reimbursement of the Indenture  
12 Trustee Expert and the Securities Law Expert is subject to further and final review  
13 and approval of this Court pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §§ 330 or 331.

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15 DATED: 11/5/01

  
HONORABLE ROBERT W. ALBERTS  
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

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18 Approved as to Form:

19 PILLSBURY WINTHROP LLP

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21 By:  10-25-01  
22 RICHARD S. RUBEN  
Attorneys for Bank One Texas, N.A.

DECLARATION OF SERVICE BY MAIL

I, CLAUDEAN BRANDON, the undersigned, hereby declares:

I am employed in the County of Los Angeles, State of California by the firm of WEINSTEIN, EISEN & WEISS, a Professional Corporation, 1925 Century Park East, Suite 1150, Los Angeles, California 90067-2712. I am over the age of 18 and not a party in the within action.

On October 25, 2001, I served the foregoing document described as

*ORDER RE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 7 TRUSTEE FOR  
AUTHORITY TO EMPLOY AND PAY RETAINERS TO EXPERT  
WITNESSES*

by placing a true and correct copy of each document thereof, enclosed in a sealed envelope, addressed as follows:

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( ) (State) I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the above is true and correct.

( x ) (Federal) I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on October 25, 2001 at Los Angeles, California.

  
CLAUDEAN BRANDON

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NOTICE OF ENTRY OF JUDGMENT  
OR ORDER AND CERTIFICATE OF  
MAILING

TO ALL PARTIES IN INTEREST ON THE ATTACHED SERVICE LIST:

You are hereby notified, pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 9022 and Local  
Bankruptcy Rule 9021-(a)(1)(E) that an order or judgment entitled *ORDER RE  
APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 7 TRUSTEE FOR AUTHORITY TO EMPLOY AND  
PAY RETAINERS TO EXPERT WITNESSES* was entered on ~~NOV - 5 2001~~.

I hereby certify that I mailed a copy of this notice and a true copy of the order  
or judgment to the persons and entities on the attached service list on ~~NOV - 5 2001~~

Dated:

NOV - 5 2001

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